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REPORTS OF TYPHOID EPIDEMIC IN THE GDR

EPIDEMIC AT POTSDAM -- New York, Staatszeitung und Herold, 30 Oct 53

Potsdam (undated) -- The West Berlin Committee of Free Jurists reports that there have been many cases of typhoid in Potsdam from the drinking water. The report states that the isolation wards of the Municipal Hospital and St. Joseph's Hospital are overcrowded with typhoid patients. Local public health authorities have been ordered not to give out any information on the nature of the cases in the isolation wards.

TYPHOID HITS SOVIET OCCUPATION TROOPS -- New York, Staatszeitung und Herold,

Oranienburg (undated) -- One hundred and seventy Soviet soldiers suffering from typhoid have been taken to the former tuberculosis sanatorium in Grabow-See, located between Sachsenhausen and Friedrichsthal. According to other reports, a large number of typhoid cases have occurred also in other Soviet Army units stationed in the vicinity of Berlin.

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